Amendments to the Specification

Please amend the abstract page as follows:

~~METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR CONTROLLING SOFTWARE EXECUTION
IN AN EVENT-DRIVEN OPERATING SYSTEM ENVIRONMENT~~

Abstract of the Disclosure

A computer ~~(10)~~ includes an operating system ~~(12)~~ that handles events generated by a user input, by the operating system ~~(12)~~, or by programs ~~(14, 20)~~ or objects ~~(30, 32)~~ operating under the operating system ~~(12)~~. An application program ~~(14)~~ and a control program ~~(20)~~ operate under the operating system ~~(12)~~. The control program ~~(20)~~ generates a control event ~~(Event #3, Event #6)~~ that is detected and acted upon by the application program ~~(14)~~ to cause the application program ~~(14)~~ to perform a selected operation.